



November 20, 2020

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[Artists Sunday](#) is November 29, the Sunday after Thanksgiving.
Shop art and give something handcrafted this holiday.

The Wisconsin Arts News will take a Thanksgiving break next week and will return on Monday, November 30. We are thankful for you, dear reader!

QUOTE OF THE DAY

"Art defies defeat by its very existence, representing the celebration of life, in spite of all attempts to degrade and destroy it." – Nadine Gordimer

"Good art is art that allows you to enter it from a variety of angles and to emerge with a variety of views." – Mary Schmich

"Gratitude is not only the greatest of virtues, but the parent of all the others." – Marcus Tullius Cicero

"At times our own light goes out and is rekindled by a spark from another person. Each of us has cause to think with deep gratitude of those who have lighted the flame within us." – Albert Schweitzer

"I would maintain that thanks are the highest form of thought, and that gratitude is happiness doubled by wonder." – Gilbert K. Chesterton

"When I started counting my blessings, my whole life turned around." – Willie Nelson

"I am thankful the most important key in history was invented. It's not the key to your house, your car, your boat, your safety deposit box, your bike lock or your private community. It's the key to order, sanity, and peace of mind. The key is 'Delete.'" – Elayne Boosler

VIDEO OF THE DAY

Visual/Voice Ep. 4: B.J. Hollars - Merry Big Christmas
Volume One Magazine

Art Links Interviews
John Michael Kohler Arts Center

How To Be At Home
National Film Board of Canada

Video Replay: How Can Nonprofit Arts Organizations Plan for the Future with So Many Unknowns?
The Wallace Foundation

Wisconsin artists and arts organizations, do you have video that you'd like us to consider sharing as the Wisconsin Arts News Video of the Day? Send the link to artsboard@wisconsin.gov!

TOP WISCONSIN NEWS

FROM THE WISCONSIN ARTS BOARD

NEW Town Hall for Wisconsin Artists and Creative Workers on Tuesday, December 1, 2020
Wisconsin Arts Board
December 1

NEW New Report from the National Endowment for the Arts Shows the Arts Can Be Significant Tool in Fight Against Opioid Abuse
National Endowment for the Arts News

Also
NEW Chairman's Corner: November 19, 2020
National Endowment for the Arts

NEW How the Work of Americans for the Arts Is Addressing the Urgent Challenges of 2020
ARTS Blog | Americans for the Arts

For resources to help you move through this current crisis, please check out our [COVID-19 and the arts in Wisconsin webpage](#)

Reimagining the Future of the Arts
Knowledge Center | The Wallace Foundation

[Wallace Foundation webinars](#) | Through December 16

[Register here.](#)

[Wisconsin conversations](#) | Through December 18

- **Friday, November 20, 9-10 am.**

[Register here](#) and you will receive a Zoom link before the date

Info from The Wallace Foundation webinars:

[Arts Organizations' Early Response to COVID-19 Uncertainty: Insights from the Field](#)
AEA Consulting | The Wallace Foundation

[Executive Summary](#)
[Full Report](#)

[Navigating Uncertain Times: A Scenario Planning Toolkit for the Arts and Culture Sector](#)
The Wallace Foundation

[Download Overview](#)
[Download Scenarios](#)
[Download Worksheets](#)

[The Pandemic is Transforming the Arts—and It's Not All Bad News](#)
Wallace Blog | The Wallace Foundation

[Video Replay: What Can Organizations Learn from High-Performing and Turnaround Arts Organizations?](#)
Reimagining the Future of the Arts | The Wallace Foundation

NEW [NCN Articles of Interest | November 20, 2020](#)
National Creativity Network

Job Opportunities

NEW [Job Opportunity | Curator & Arts Education Coordinator](#)
Thelma Sadoff Center for the Arts
Deadline: Until Filled

NEW [Job Opportunity | Director of Development](#)
Wisconsin Chamber Orchestra
Until Filled

[Join the Board](#)
AIGA Wisconsin
Until Filled

[Board Treasurer | Master Singers of Milwaukee](#)
Jobs That Help
Until Filled

[Job Opportunity | Director of Programs](#)
Arts@Large
Deadline: Until Filled

[Executive Director | Bergstrom Mahler Museum of Glass](#)
The QTI Group
Deadline: Until Filled

[Member Services Associate](#)
Museum of Wisconsin Art
Deadline: Until Filled

Deadlines | Resources | Events

[2020 Grantmakers in the Arts Conference: The Remix: Reimagining Power and Practice](#)
Grantmakers in the Arts
Through November 23 | Virtual Event

[Deals Co-op Program](#)
TravelWisconsin.com
Through December 31

[Anti-Racism as Organizational Compass](#)
National Guild for Community Art Education
Through February 22

[Announcing Online Intensives to Address Fundraising and Capital Projects in the Pandemic Era](#)
Devos Institute of Arts Management
November 20 | Advancing Capital Infrastructure Projects During A Period of Uncertainty
November 23 | Catalytic Fundraising in the Pandemic Era

[Art Collector Education Series](#)
Fellowship.art
November 20, 30, December 11

[OVERTURE FORUMS: Intermission Edition](#)
Overture Center for the Arts
November 23 | Downtown Madison Recovery (Registration at a later date)

Artists Sunday™ National Art Shopping Movement and Campaign: Artists and Organizations Across the United States Unite to Encourage Consumers to Shop with Artists and Craftsmen the Sunday after Thanksgiving

Artists Sunday

November 29

Safety and Security for the Performing Arts

Lyrasis

December 1

Gov. Evers, Lt. Gov. Barnes to Host People's Budget Virtual Listening Sessions

Office of Governor Tony Evers

Budget Listening Session on Environment, Infrastructure, and the Economy

Wednesday, December 2, at 6 p.m.

Registration will be live one week before the listening session date.

Budget Listening Session on Criminal Justice Reform

Tuesday, December 8, at 6 p.m.

Registration will be live one week before the listening session date.

Budget Listening Session on Our Schools and Education

Wednesday, December 16, at 6 p.m.

Registration will be live one week before the listening session date.

Rootwork | Grounding Community Arts Education Beyond the Pandemic

National Guild for Community Arts Education

December 2 - February 24

Now accepting applications: Shakespeare in American Communities

Arts Midwest

Deadline: December 3 (Intent to Apply)

Gov. Evers Announces "Hope" Theme for 2020 Student Crafted Holiday Ornaments

Office of Governor Evers

As soon as possible and by Friday, December 4, 2020

Quarterly Meeting

Wisconsin Arts Board

December 4 | Milwaukee

National Arts Marketing Project Conference

Americans for the Arts

December 7 – 8 | Virtual

From the Field: Imagining the future of being a good relative

Springboard for the Arts

December 11

Grants for Humanities Programs

Wisconsin Humanities

Deadline: December 15 | Major Grant Applications

Believe in Music Week

NAMM

Begins January 18

NEA Big Read Grant Opportunity

National Endowment for the Arts

Deadline: January 27

Also

[Apply for the National Endowment for the Arts Big Read for 2021-2022!](#)

National Endowment for the Arts Blog

Deadline: January 27

POSTPONED 2020 Conference

Association of Midwest Museums & Wisconsin Federation of Museums

July 2021 | Milwaukee

The print version of the 2020 Arts & Crafts Fair Directory is available and may be ordered [here](#).

TravelWisconsin.com

If you'd prefer to view the Directory online, click [here](#).

Online Workshops and Conversations

Creative Capital

Various

IN THE NEWS

Visual Arts/Museums

Milwaukee museums close to the public because of COVID-19 surge in the community

Milwaukee Journal Sentinel

Also

[The Milwaukee Art Museum Is Closed Until Next Year](#)

Milwaukee Magazine

[Milwaukee's Discovery World temporarily closes amid COVID-19 surge](#)

TMJ4 Milwaukee

[As COVID-19 Cases Climb, Museums Across US Announce Closures](#)

Hyperallergic

[Smithsonian Museums and the National Zoo to Close Due to Increased Cases of Covid-19](#)

Smithsonian Institution

[State Street mural artists discuss the work ahead](#)

The Cap Times

[Betty Brinn Children's Museum Announces New Board Members](#)

Urban Milwaukee

[RAM holiday art competition award winners announced](#)

Racine Journal Times

Also

[Racine Art Museum Holiday Art Competition Award Winners Announced](#)

Urban Milwaukee

[Artist Opportunity: MARN Window Exhibition Opportunity](#)

Milwaukee Artist Resource Network

Deadline: November 24

[ICYMI Ho-Chunk Nation unveils new mural along the Great Sauk State Trail](#)

Channel3000.com

[Virtual Museum of Lost Art Asks Visitors to Help Track Down Missing Masterpieces](#)

Smart News | Smithsonian

[Brass, Marble, Glass, Laminate, and Steel: Results from Tests of Coronavirus on Five Common Museum and Library Building Materials](#)

Institute of Museum and Library Services

[You can be aesthetically sensitive and know nothing about art](#)

Psyche

Arts and Creativity in Education

[Sauk Prairie High School alumni living dream in New York City Street Theater](#)

Madison.com

[Q&A: Science Educator's Insights on PBS Wisconsin's Newest Resource, 'Meet the Lab'](#)

PBS Wisconsin

[Arts and Creativity Education | December 2020](#)

Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction

[UW alumnus Brandon Taylor one of six finalists for prestigious Booker Prize](#)

UW-Madison News

[4W-Wit Bilingual Anthology](#)

Community Altar Project | UW-Madison

[Poetry of the Moment](#)

On Wisconsin

Community Arts

[Vietnam Veterans Memorial gets Phase 1 nod from La Crosse Parks Board](#)

News8000.com

Folk Arts/Folklife

[Indigenous Communities are Using an Empowering Tool to Reclaim Their Histories in the Digital Space](#)

The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation

Literary Arts/Libraries

[Whitefish Bay Library Rolls Back Services Amid Pandemic](#)

Whitefish Bay, WI Patch

[Shorewood Library Closes To The Public, Curbside Service Only](#)

Shorewood, WI Patch

[Brass, Marble, Glass, Laminate, and Steel: Results from Tests of Coronavirus on Five Common Museum and Library Building Materials](#)

Institute of Museum and Library Services

[What 80 Innovation Leaders Say About The Power Of Storytelling](#)

Forbes

[On Poets and Prizes / Juliana Spahr and Stephanie Young](#)

ASAP Journal

[Aricka Foreman | Polycystic Study of Intimacy](#)

Poem-a-Day, Poets.org

Media Arts

[Rivoli Theater receives relief grant](#)

WXOW

[HBO Max's 'Wonder Woman 1984' Bet: Wall Street Debates "Grand Experiment"](#)

The Hollywood Reporter

Also
['Wonder Woman 1984' to Debut Both on HBO Max and in Theaters](#)
Variety

[How HBO Max Became 'Wonder Woman 1984's' Best Option](#)
Variety

Performing Arts

Music

['His heart was as big as he was': Drummer Richie Plass, dead at 69, leaves a legacy of music, activism](#)
Green Bay Press-Gazette

[Wisconsin Musicians Draw Connections Between 2020 And The Past In New Collaboration Album](#)
WUWM

[Taylor Swift's Masters: What Shamrock Gets for \\$300 Million, Why It Matters, and What's Next](#)
Variety

Theater

[SAG-AFTRA, Actors' Equity Settle Bitter Dispute Over Live Event Streams](#)
Variety

Other

[Navigating Uncertain Times: A Scenario Planning Toolkit for the Arts and Culture Sector](#)
Knowledge Center | The Wallace Foundation

[Ask Rita: Coping with the Workplace Challenges of the Pandemic—Don't Forget Empathy, Compassion, and Flexibility](#)
Blue Avocado

[Strategic Planning 101: Strengthen a Nonprofit's Board–Executive Director Relationship](#)
Blue Avocado

[Five Things to Learn from Gen Z Social Innovators Tackling Social Isolation](#)
Blue Avocado

[10 Things You Should Avoid Doing This Year-End Giving Season](#)
NonProfit Pro

WHEN YOU GO

Visual Arts/Museums

[ONLINE: Taliesin Home Furniture Tour & Woodworking Class](#)

Isthmus

November 27

[She's an artist, part of the Monches tour, but her home Christmas decor is mostly about Mom](#)

Milwaukee Journal Sentinel

December 4 – 6

[ONLINE: Drink & Draw](#)

Isthmus

December 11

Community Arts

[Check Out Milwaukee Holiday Lights](#)

Entertainment at a Distance | Urban Milwaukee

Various

[Arts & Culture](#)

Madison Magazine

Various

[The Week Ahead: 'Ernie & Joe: Crisis Cops,' Midwest Video Poetry Festival, Flannel Fest 2020 and more](#)

The Cap Times

Various

Folk Arts/Folklife

[The 2020 Holiday Folk Fair is going online to bring the world to Milwaukee](#)

Milwaukee Journal Sentinel

November 20 - 22

Literary Arts/Libraries

[ONLINE: William Stobb](#)

Isthmus

March 10

[ONLINE: Dean Robbins](#)

Isthmus

March 24

Marathon County Public Library activities

Wausau Pilot & Review

Various

Media Arts

PBS Wisconsin Serves Up Thanksgiving Programs for Families

PBS Wisconsin

Various

Performing Arts

Music

NorthWoods Strings invites you to hang out with music

Ashland Daily Press

November 30

ONLINE: Skylight Sings: A Holiday Special

Isthmus

December 11 – January 10

Milwaukee Symphony reconfigures 2021 season with small ensembles, diverse composers

Milwaukee Journal Sentinel

Season

Theater

ONLINE: She Kills Monsters: Virtual Realms

Isthmus

November 20 –22

Two “Carols” Are Better Than One at Milwaukee Rep

Milwaukee Community Journal

A Christmas Carol | December 10 – 24

Jacob Marley’s Christmas Carol | December 10 – 24

OPPORTUNITIES

NEW Artist Opportunity: MARN Window Exhibition Opportunity

Milwaukee Artist Resource Network

Deadline: November 24

NEW CVA seeks art for annual exhibition

Wausau Pilot & Review

Deadline: November 23

Open Fund Emergency Relief Grants

The Open Fund

Deadline: November 28

For artists in Milwaukee County.

Artists Sunday™ National Art Shopping Movement and Campaign: Artists and Organizations Across the United States Unite to Encourage Consumers to Shop with Artists and Craftsmen the Sunday after Thanksgiving

Artists Sunday

November 29

2020-2021 Let The Music Play Grant Application Open

Urban Milwaukee

Deadline: November 30

Submit to BR!NK 2021

Renaissance Theaterworks

Deadline: November 30

ArtsLink International Fellowships

CEC ArtsLink

Deadline: November 30

NEW MATC Invites Artists to Develop Works for Display at Downtown Milwaukee Campus

Urban Milwaukee

Deadline: December 1

Now accepting applications: Shakespeare in American Communities

Arts Midwest

Deadline: December 3 (Intent to Apply)

Gov. Evers Announces "Hope" Theme for 2020 Student Crafted Holiday Ornaments

Office of Governor Evers

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NEW Ethics Cartooning Competition

Morgridge Institute for Research

Registration Closes: December 9

Cartoon Submission Deadline: February 1

The Call for Proposals | 2021-2022 Interdisciplinary Arts Residencies

UW-Madison Division of the Arts

Deadline: December 15

Grants for Humanities Programs

Wisconsin Humanities

Deadline: December 15 | Major Grant Applications

NEW AIC Welcomes Nominations for Ross Merrill Award for Outstanding Commitment to Preservation, Care of Collections

PND by Candid

Deadline: December 15

NEW Wisconsin schools and libraries can apply for \$3M in grants to support virtual learning

TMJ4

Deadline: December 18

NEW Ezra Jack Keats Foundation Accepting Entries for New Writer, Illustrator Children's Book Awards

PND by Candid

Deadline: December 31

Wisconsin school districts encouraged to apply for Fab Labs Grants

EIN Presswire

Deadline: January 8

Wisconsin's Own Submission Guidelines

2021 Wisconsin Film Festival

Deadline: January 29

National Portrait Gallery Accepting Entries for Sixth Triennial Outwin Boochever Portrait Competition

Smithsonian Voices | National Portrait Gallery

Deadline: January 29

2021 VSA Playwright Discovery Competition

VSA The Kennedy Center

Deadline: March 10

Expo 2020 Dubai: Cultural Performer Expression of Interest

Global Ties U.S.

Global Ties U.S. reserves the right to close the nomination form prior to the March 15, 2021 deadline

Radcliffe Institute Accepting Applications for Fellowship Program

RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest

Various

Beyond Words: the Dollar General School Library Relief Fund

Awards & Grants | American Library Association

Deadline: None. Monthly Review

Pollock-Krasner Foundation Accepting Grant Applications From Artists in Need

RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: Open

Artfully Reimagined Invites Submissions for 'Reimagine It' Grants

RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: Open

Foundation for Contemporary Art Accepting Applications for Emergency Grants

RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: Open

Adolph & Esther Gottlieb Accepting Applications for Emergency Grants

RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: Open

Open Grant Solicitations

Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs | US Department of State

Various

Scholastic Art & Writing Awards Invites Entries From Creative Teens

RFP | Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: Various

NALAC Unveils New Funding For Latinx Artists

National Association of Latino Arts and Cultures

Various Deadlines

Craft Emergency Relief Fund Accepting Applications From Craftspeople in Need

Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: Open

Artfully Reimagined Invites Submissions for 'Reimagine It' Grants

RFPs | PND

Deadline: Open

Shubert Foundation Accepting Applications for Performing Arts Grants

RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: Various

Scholastic Art & Writing Awards Invites Entries From Creative Teens

Philanthropy News Digest

Deadlines: Various

Local Systems

The Kresge Foundation

No Deadline

Do you want people throughout Wisconsin to know about your upcoming arts events or opportunities? Then enter your calendar information on Portalwisconsin.org.

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Agencies interested in posting information should go to www.portalwisconsin.org/participate.cfm

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